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COUNTRY Soviet Zone of Germany

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TOPIC Military Information from Schweinrich Maneuver Area

EVALUATION

PLACE OBTAINED

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DATE OF CONTENT 10 August 1950

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13 September 1950

REFERENCES

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REMARKS

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1. Six T34 tanks were loaded at the Dranse Railroad station on 18 August 1950.

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2. A field exercise in the Schweinrich (N 54/U 22) maneuver area on 10 August 1950 simulated an attack upon Schweinrich by tanks with supporting infantry. No enemy or heavy weapons other than attacking tanks were observed. Preparatory to the attack the tanks were dug in up to their turrets for fire preparation. When the fire preparation was completed 12 T34 tanks and 3 light armored reconnaissance cars carrying 90 infantrymen attacked the town.

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